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In re application of: Perumal Ratnum

Examiner: Fears, T.

Applicant's Reference: ALSCP003/B-6074

Group: 2824

Application No.: 09/375,702

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Title: NEW ERASE TECHNIQUE TO IMPROVE  
THE SOURCE LEAKAGE OF FLASH EPROM  
CELLS DURING SOURCE ERASE

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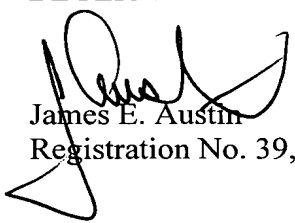
Separate Letter to the Official Draftsman

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the objections raised by the Draftsman in an action dated September 12, 2000, enclosed are the corrected formal drawings for the above-identified patent application. If the Draftsman has any question concerning the corrected drawings, he or she is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,  
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